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In re Application of: )  
Damien Kessler ) Group Art Unit: 2611  
Application No.: 10/821,996 ) Examiner: Not yet assigned  
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ) Confirmation No.: 1584  
MAINTAINING A DIGITAL )  
TELEVISION RECEIVER DATABASE )  
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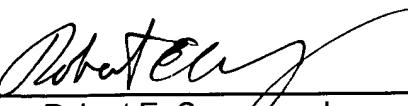
**STATUS INQUIRY**

According to our records, the above-identified application was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on April 29, 2004. We received a filing receipt mailed on June 22, 2004, and Notice of Publication for October 30, 2004. To date, we have not received any further communication from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("Office") for this matter.

In view of these circumstances, the undersigned attorney respectfully requests that the Office advise him of the status of this application as soon as possible in order to determine whether further action by the applicant is required at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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